

Gary Jewish Flier Missing Over Norway

Special
GARY—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fann have received notification from the War Department that their son, Second Lieut. Irwin Fann, a navigator in the Army Air Forces, had been missing in action since Nov. 18, on a mission over Norway. According to the date, it is supposed that Lieutenant Fann participated in the daylight Liberator attack which caused much damage to Germany's biggest Norwegian airplane repair and maintenance depot at Kjeller, eleven miles from Oslo.

Irwin enlisted Feb. 7, 1942, just one year before he would have earned his degree in law from the University of Chicago. He received his basic training at Maxwell Field, Ala. Several times he was transferred from the group, and each time was saved from disaster which befell the ones he left behind. He won his wings last Feb. 27 at Selma Field, La., at the AAF Navigation School.

Lieutenant Fann, who was 22 years old last May, has been overseas since September. In a letter received since the War Department notification, he spoke of missions undertaken and the successful return.

Brief Illness Fatal To Mrs. Sarah Leventhal

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Leventhal, 432 East Fall Creek parkway, who died Saturday, Dec. 18, in the Methodist Hospital after a brief illness, were held Monday in Terre Haute. Burial was in the Highland Lawn cemetery there.

Mrs. Leventhal had lived in this city for five years, coming here from Terre Haute where she resided for 45 years.

She was a member of the Indianapolis Council of Jewish Women, the Sisterhood of the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation, the Hadassah and the Auxiliary of Temple B'nai Abraham of Terre Haute.

Surviving are four sons, Lew Leventhal of Indianapolis, Martin Leventhal of Bowling Green, Ky., Jack Leventhal of Terre Haute, and First Lieut. Dave Leventhal of McCook, Neb.; four daughters, Miss Helen Leventhal, Mrs. Sydney L. James and dMrs. Bert Goldberg, all of Indianapolis, and Mrs. Jack Goldfarb of Louisville.

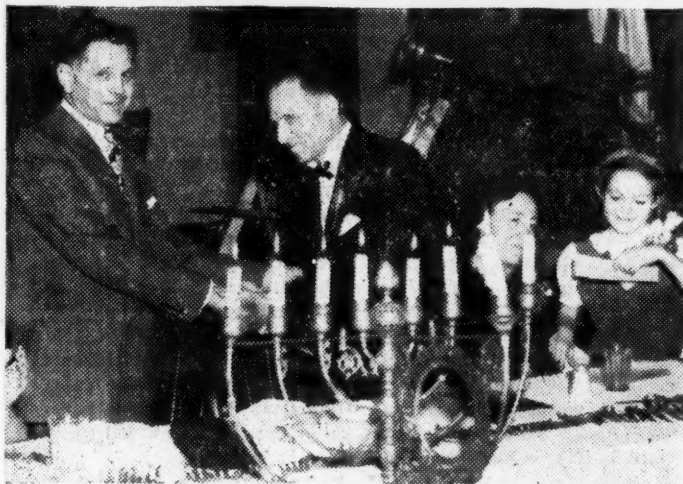
In attendance from Indianapolis at the funeral services, in addition to members of the family, were Miss Florence Goldberg, Mrs. Frederick Feibelman, Irving Ruben and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wolf.

Rabbi J. Marshall Taxay officiated at the services.

ZIONIST YOUTH TO MEET

The Leaders' Institute sponsored by the Indianapolis Zionist Youth Commission will meet Tuesday, Dec. 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Talesnick, 3829 N. New Jersey. Rabbi Israel Chodos will lead the discussion.

Glass Given \$1,500 for 15 Years' Service



At a banquet last Sunday night marking the completion of 15 years service to Temple Beth El, Cantor Myro Glass was given a check for \$1,500 by a grateful congregation. He is shown being congratulated by Bob Stolkin, president, while his daughter, Tsiporah, and Mrs. Glass give the check the once-over.

Chaplain Ott to Address A. Z. A.'s From 3 States

The third annual tri-state AZA convention will open in Indianapolis tomorrow as boys from Kentucky, Ohio and other Indiana cities gather here to attend the three-day session, which will end Monday night with a dinner and dance at the Antlers Hotel when Chaplain Jacob M. Ott of Camp Breckenridge, Ky., will give the principal address.

The Southside AZA group will conduct services at the United Hebrew Congregation tonight, and a choir of ten boys will chant the services. Two other dances are on the convention schedule, as well as contests in oratory, debating and sports.

Chanukah Party Arranged By Beth El Men's Club

The Beth El Men's Club will give a Chanukah party for parents and children at the Temple at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, Dec. 26. Arrangements have been made by the entertainment committee, with David Granowsky and Percy Simmons as co-chairmen. The program will consist of a Chanukah play, music and a surprise feature.

Chanukah Broadcast Set for Sunday

The Junior Hadassah choral group will broadcast over WIRE Sunday, Dec. 26, from 10:15 to 10:30 a. m., with a program of Chanukah melodies and Palestinian songs. Rabbi David Shapiro will give a sermonette on "Hanukah."

Taking part in the broadcast will be Selma Binsky, Lillian Chennin, Ann Caldron, Bertha Moskowitz, Lillian Steinkeler, Ethel Schneider, Helen Samuels, Jeanne Sacks, Henrietta Schwartz, and Jeanette Smith.

Chanukah Program Features Auxiliary December Meeting

The December meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Rabbi Neustadt Talmud Torah at 2:15 p. m. Monday, at Kirshbaum Center, will feature a Chanukah play, Chanukah recitations, and skits presented by the pupils of the school. The pupils will be the guests of the auxiliary and will be served refreshments by the hospitality committee. Members and their friends are cordially invited.

NINE MEN NAMED AS CANDIDATES IN JEWISH MAN OF YEAR VOTING

The voting for Indiana's Jewish Man of the Year is at the moment between nine men, with Jack Gole of Michigan City, and Maurice Tucker of South Bend, nominated not only by members of their local and nearby communities, but by voters over the entire state. Lew Sutin of Terre Haute, last year's "Man" has also been chosen by more than one voter.

Among the nominees is also Jacob Singer of Lafayette, for the past 25 years president of Sons of Abraham Synagogue there, president for the past 15 years of the Federation of Jewish Charities in his home town, president of Lafayette Zionists, and president of the Lafayette Free Loan Society.

Lazure Goodman of Indianapolis has been nominated with praise for his contributions to community unity and his selfless devotion to

the many humanitarian enterprises in which he is interested, which are too numerous to mention.

Irving Garnitz, of South Bend, Daniel Frisch and Isadore Feibleman of Indianapolis, and Richard Kaplan of Gary, have also received their votes, with accompanying poems in their honor.

Two or three voters refused to nominate candidates, on the ground that they were insufficiently acquainted with the field, or as in one case, on the ground that no member of the community deserved such an honor, as only discord had occurred among the state's Jews during the year. This latter voter suggested that the man next year who could achieve unity among different factions would deserve the honor, and he only would deserve it.

Readers are welcome to make their nominations also.

MORE SECRET MOVES TO AID JEWS TOLD IN HOUSE TESTIMONY

BULLETIN

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON.—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee this week approved a resolution urging President Roosevelt to establish a commission of diplomatic, economic and military experts to "save the surviving Jewish people of Europe." The resolution is identical with one introduced in the House, but is not concurrent with the House resolution which has apparently been killed by the House Foreign Affairs Committee after the testimony given there by Assistant Secretary of State Breckinridge Long.

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON—The attitude of the United States Government towards the Palestine problem was defined by Assistant Secretary of State Breckinridge Long during his testimony before the House Committee on Foreign Affairs on the question of the rescue of Jewish and other peoples in Nazi-occupied territory, it was learned here when further portions of his testimony were made public.

"The American Government," Mr. Long declared, "is not entirely obtuse about Palestine, or is not disinterested in the situation that is developing there. We have been interested and we will continue to be interested from the point of view of large aspects of world security and of world peace, as well as the rights of humans and humanitarian sympathies and the religious sentiments involved."

The Assistant Secretary of State also revealed that at one time the United States Government tried to get Jews out of Rumania to Palestine by railroad instead of by boat. "The Turkish Government," Mr. Long disclosed, "took the position that these people could pass

Can Deal Directly With Nazis to Rescue Jews

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON—Direct negotiations with the Germans for the release of Jews and other persecuted peoples can be undertaken by the Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees under a new mandate now awaiting approval by 49 United Nations and neutrals.

This is an authoritative interpretation given here of the text made public last week by Assistant Secretary of State Breckinridge Long and Chairman Sol Bloom of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives. Ordinarily, warring nations only approach one another through neutral intermediaries.

Whether the Germans will deal with an international body that includes their enemies is another question. According to the best opinion available here, they will probably refuse. But at least an attempt will be made.

in transit through that small part of Turkey which lies between the Straits and Bulgaria. It would give them access to Istanbul, and that was the way we happened to get into this kind of transportation; but finally the German Government heard about it and interfered and prevented it."

The United States Government, Mr. Long further revealed, is continuing its efforts through a neutral government to get 20,000 Jewish children out of Germany and German-held territory. The neutral government concerned has asked the German Government to permit it to take these children out of the Reich to its own territory, and has suggested that these children be selected by some charitable or other appropriate organizations in Germany. This neutral government, however, has not as yet received a reply from Berlin, Mr. Long said, but the proposal still stands, although the German Government has not indicated that it will accept it.

U. S. Pushes Plan for Removing 100,000 Children from Axis Lands

The Assistant Secretary of State spoke of a plan now being supported by the United States Government "for removing children temporarily from Axis-held territory to neutral countries in varying numbers up to a maximum of 100,000 for rehabilitation in those countries where they could get food and where we could put the food where the children could be nourished and brought back to something like a normal state of physical well being."

He also revealed that the United States Government offered to make a generous contribution to Sweden "in connection with her reception of Jews and other people from Denmark" but the Swedish Government said she did not think it was necessary. She thought it was an obligation of the Swedish Government, and she did not even want contributions from the Danish Government-in-Exile," Mr. Long added.

Balkan Governments Warned Against Mistreatment

Continuing his testimony on the activities of the United States in connection with rescuing Jews from Nazi territory, Assistant Secretary Long disclosed that America and Britain have jointly, through the Swiss Government, warned Balkan governments against mistreatment of Jews. The warning, he added, was "the strongest document that the State Department ever sent." At the same time, the United States Government offered to help Switzerland, "as far as our econo-

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SARA'S COLUMN

By SARA MESSING STERN

THE GOOD NEWS has reached Indiana that Capt. Phil Adler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adler of Lebanon, reached Florida Dec. 17, is at the Miami-Biltmore and hopes soon to receive sick leave to visit his parents! Congratulations to Jeanette and Mark and to all Capt. Adler's dear ones. He is a young man in whom they and all of us have a just pride!

OF ESPECIAL INTEREST to listeners over WISH is the forthcoming announcement in the daily press by Mrs. Ida Braun of the engagement of her daughter, Dorothy Annette Braun, to Larry J. Rudman of Dubuque, Ia. Dorothy located in Indianapolis in February, 1940, when her parents, the late Sam Braun and Mrs. Braun, moved to 420 Maple Rd. from Milwaukee. She has been with WISH since its inception and is the assistant program director and director of women's activities for WISH. Dorothy was graduated from Milwaukee Downer College, where she majored in home economics and later she attended classes there, in speech. Larry J. Rudman, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Rudman, of Rock Island, Ill., is a graduate of the University of Texas. No date has been set for the wedding. Larry will be in Indianapolis over this week-end. Congratulations to him! Dorothy is a friend for whose character and attainments I have abiding respect. And I know they will be happy for Dorothy's judgment of men is impeccable—even though she is in love!

CANTOR AND MRS. MYRO GLASS were given a check for a \$1,500.00 war bond Dec. 19th at a Hanukkah dinner at Beth-El-Zedeck where 250 friends gathered to honor them. The money was contributed by members and non-members. The occasion marked the completion of Cantor Glass' fifteen years of congregational service. Cantor Glass is a man of fine spiritual perception and adds much to the services by his chanting of the traditional melodies. We wish for him, his wife and daughter, continued usefulness and happiness.

AMONG THOSE IN ATTENDANCE at last Saturday night's symphony concert, at which Amia Dorfman was piano soloist, were Messrs. and Mmes. Jack Kammins, Harold Jaffe, L. L. Goodman, J. A. Goodman and daughter, Ruth, Rabbi Nandor Fruchter, Miss Gertrude Feibleman, Lt. David Baker, Camp Atterbury, formerly of Lowell, Mass., with Isidore Feibleman and daughter, Mrs. Henry Weil, and Mrs. Charles B. Feibleman. Others who heard Miss Dorfman's artistic playing of the Grieg piano concerto included Messrs. and Mmes. Phil Adler, Jacob Mueller, Eli Copeland, Floyd Beitman, S. Romer, Miss Emma Messing, Mrs. Hugo Strauss and daughter, Carolyn, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Sudranski, I. E. Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bloch, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fishman, Mrs. Isaac Marks, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Isaacs and daughter, Mrs. Simon L. Kiser, and Miss Helen Kahn.

MR. AND MRS. SAM BECK, who moved to Memphis, Tenn., last Wednesday, were honor guests at the after-Temple tea and social hour given by the Sisterhood of the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation, Friday night, Dec. 17. Rabbi Morris Feuerlicht, in extending the Sisterhood's invitation to those present at the services, commended the Becks for their almost 40 years of continuous service to the Temple and the Jewish community, an important service given unassumingly. He also voiced his regret and that of the congregation over their moving to Memphis, Tenn., and wished them "God speed." Mrs. Sam Beck made her home in Elwood with her sister, Mrs. Herman Allenberg a few months after her arrival from Mardors, near Frankfort-on-Main, Germany. Later, after making her home with the late Sol and Dinah Kiser, here, she and Sam Beck were married by Rabbi Mayer Messing in his Delaware Street home, 40 years ago next March. Mrs. Simon L. Kiser, a cousin by marriage, played for the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Beck's children and grandchildren are Mrs. Marguerite Greenwalt, New York, and son; Mrs. Alex Bernstein (Viola), Memphis, Tenn., and two sons; Mrs. Lester Lyons (Hortense), and child; and one son, Cpl. Benjamin Beck, candidate O. F. T., stationed at Camp Reynolds, Greenville, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Beck asked me to say to their many friends, "Good-bye! Aufweidersehen."

P. S. . . . An error in last week's column listed \$120 in knitted goods and other materials as having been sent to Palestine by the South Side Hadassah Sewing Group. The amount should have read \$1,200.

Mrs. Sarah Wolfberg Dies in Chicago

Special

GARY.—Mrs. Sarah Wolfberg, formerly of Wakarusa, died in Chicago, Dec. 16, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alex Markels. Mrs. Wolfberg has lived with her daughter since her husband, Moses Wolfberg died four years ago.

The Wolfberg family has been resident in Indiana for about fifty years. She is survived by seven children, Charles Wolfberg, Mrs. Freda Markels, Mrs. Esther Pol-

insky, of Ashland, Kentucky, Louis Wolfberg of South Bend, Mrs. Florence Rosenbloom and Mrs. Jeanette Rosenbloom of Gary, and Miss Irene Wolfberg of Chicago and 16 grandchildren.

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3 INDIANA WELFARE FUND DRIVES PRAISED BY UNITED JEWISH APPEAL

Three Indiana Jewish welfare fund drives were the subject of a newspaper write-up released this week by the United Jewish Appeal to the Anglo-Jewish press. The article said:

"One of the most impressive campaigns was that of Muncie, which not only bettered its quota but raised almost twice as much as last year. This extraordinary result was accomplished under the chairmanship of Louis Novick. Gary, whose campaign from the very start reflected a new spirit of enthusiasm, surpassed its quota

in the drive led by Ralph Kaplan. James Post, a non-Jew who served as chairman of Hammond's campaign, stimulated the Jewish community to top its goal."

All three of these drives were reported in The Jewish Post as they were held.

City Resident for 22 Years Dies in Home Here

The Rev. Louis Krasnow, 65, an Indianapolis resident for the last twenty-two years, died Sunday, Dec. 12, in his home, 1119 S. Illinois. He was a member of Sharah Tefillah congregation and the Indianapolis Mizrahi. Funeral services were held Monday at the Aaron-Ruben Funeral Home, with Rabbi David Shapiro and Cantors A. Portnov and Samuel Levin officiating. Burial was in Sharah Tefillah cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Esther Krasnow; a daughter, Miss Leah Krasnow, Indianapolis; two sons, Morris Krasnow, of Indianapolis, and Jack Krasnow of Oklahoma City, Okla., and a sister, Mrs. Yetta Borinstein, of Detroit.

Mrs. Jacob Weiss will go to New York at the end of the week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burger. Her father has been ill for some time. Mr. Weiss will join her there for the New Year. Barbara Ann, their daughter, will spend her holiday from Shortridge High School in Danville, Ill., as the guest of Miss Joyce Silverberg.

Long Illness Fatal To Harry Lieness, 63

Harry Lieness, 63, died last Sunday, Dec. 12, in his home, 845 S. Capitol Ave., after a long illness. He had lived in the city 38 years and had operated a stand on City Market for 28 years. Funeral services were held at the Aaron Ruben Funeral Home, with Rabbi David Shapiro and Cantor A. Portnov officiating, followed by burial in Sharah Tefillah cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Emma Lieness; two sons, Herbert and Irving Lieness, and a daughter, Mrs. Max Yaffe, of St. Louis, and three grand children.

ZIONISTS TO MEET JAN. 4

The Indianapolis Zionist District will meet at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 4, at Kirshbaum Center. A special program is being arranged.

Secret Moves to Aid Jews Told

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my permits," in caring for refugees escaping from Axis-held countries, he stated.

Mr. Long gave details of the unsuccessful British-American endeavor to evacuate refugees from the Balkan countries to Palestine through Turkey. He revealed that the United States Government allocated \$300,000 for this transfer. "There was a proposal, he related, 'that two ships would be chartered; they would leave a port on the Black Sea and go to Turkey, from where the refugees would go directly to Palestine. They would carry 5,000 Jewish children. When they called me one morning, we could not find money to underwrite this. It is an expensive proposition when it comes to moving a lot of people and paying for their transportation and their keep en route. The estimated cost was about a half million dollars for this one trip. In the course of the day I could not secure funds. I approached the White House and got an allocation of \$300,000 or so much as might be necessary to defray the expenses on the part of the United States, which would be one-half.

"Unfortunately, although we had the money and were ready, the project could not be accomplished because the German Government, in the last analysis, got wind of it and stopped the movement of ships and told the Rumanian Government she was not to be a party to any such movement."

U. S. Ready to Put Up \$4,000,000 to Feed Jews.

WASHINGTON. — Members of the House Foreign Affairs Committee this week revealed that the U. S. Government would be ready to contribute \$4,000,000 towards a \$10,000,000 project which provides for the purchase of food to be sent to the remnants off the Jewish population in parts of Poland and Czechoslovakia through the International Red Cross in Switzerland.

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Last Rites Held For Mrs. Fanny Friedman

Special
EVANSVILLE. — Funeral services for Mrs. Fanny Friedman who died Monday, Dec. 13, were held Tuesday, Dec. 14 with Rabbi Milton Greenwald officiating.

Evansville Services Held For Mrs. Clara Lazarus

Special
EVANSVILLE—Mrs. Clara Lazarus died Tuesday, Dec. 14, in Las Vegas, N. M., and was buried in Evansville Friday, Dec. 17. Rabbi Milton Greenwald officiated.

Last Rites Held For Harris Zaltsberg

Special
KOKOMO. — Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in Cincinnati for Harris Zaltsberg, 75, Kokomo resident for the last 37 years, who died in his home, Monday, Dec. 20, after an illness of several weeks. He was well known in Kokomo business circles. Burial in Cincinnati followed the services. Before coming to Kokomo, the Zaltsberg had lived in Cincinnati and Lexington, Ky. Mr. Zaltsberg is survived by his wife; three sons, Abe, of Kokomo, Louis of Winchester, and Moses of Dayton, O.; and one daughter, Mrs. A. E. Goldreich, of Garrett.

Rites Held for Retired Anderson Merchant

Louis E. A. Hirsch, 68, retired retail shoe merchant and civic leader of Anderson, died at St. John's Hospital, Anderson, Dec. 15, after a lingering illness. Burial was in Anderson, Rabbi Morris Feuerlicht officiating. Surviving are the widow, Ada Fox Hirsch, and a son, Louis Hirsch, Jr., Anderson; and a daughter, Mrs. Rudolph Lichtenstein, of Oil City, Pa.

Mr. Hirsch is a cousin of Mrs. Isaac F. Nier of Indianapolis. Mrs. Louis Hirsch, the widow, is a sister of Mrs. Henry Rawitsch and of Simon Fox of Indianapolis. In attendance for the funeral services were Mrs. Henry Rawitsch and son Raymond, of this city.

Max Kraus Succumbs On 77th Birthday

FORT WAYNE — Funeral rites for Mr. Max Kraus, 77, vice president of the Allied Seed Company and prominent business and civic leader, who died Monday, Dec. 13, were held Thursday in the Lindenwood cemetery. Death came on his 77th birthday.

Mr. Kraus was active in the Fort Wayne Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club, was a member of the Masonic Blue Lodge of Columbia City and the Y. M. C. A., the Country Club and the Izaak Walton League here.

During the last war Mr. Kraus took an active part in Red Cross and Liberty Bond drive work and also had been an active supporter of the Boy Scout movement. He was a member of the Achduth Vesholom Congregation. Rabbi Frederick A. Doppelt officiated in the rites and burial.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Eugene Kraus of Fort Wayne and Lieut. Mentor Kraus, U. S. N. R., stationed at Philadelphia; a daughter, Mrs. Eugene Frank of Fort Wayne; three grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Henry Fleishman of Chicago, Mrs. Adolph Mayerfeldt of South Bend, Miss Rose Kraus, and Mrs. Mose Apfelbaum of Fort Wayne, and a brother, Sam Kraus of Fort Wayne.

Muncie Plans Full Day Of Chanukah Affairs

Special
MUNCIE—The Religious School and the ladies of the Sisterhood are planning a day of celebration in honor of Chanukah, Sunday, Dec. 26.

The children of the Sunday school will entertain with a play at 3 p. m. under the supervision of Student Rabbi Joshua Hoberman. Songs and dances will also be featured under the title "Chanukah Hit Parade," which will be under the direction of Marjorie Jeanne Field. Exchange of gifts by the children will close the afternoon.

This will be followed by a dinner tendered to the Jewish students of Ball State Teachers College. The boys will be entertained and given Chanukah gifts by the ladies of the sisterhood.

Personals — Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jaffee entertained Mrs. F. Wallock of Chicago, the latter's sister. . . Pvt. and Mrs. Morris Watkins visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Watkins for a few days. Pvt. Watkins is on leave from camp at Elkins, West Virginia. . . Ann Hertz left for New York City where she will visit with her grandparents for a week. She will then go to Detroit where she will join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hertz on a visit to their daughter, Bea Cossman, formerly of Muncie.

GRADUATE AT I. U.

BLOOMINGTON. — Four Jewish students who were awarded

Mrs. Lester Joseph Dies in Louisville

Special
EVANSVILLE. — Mrs. Lester Joseph, 46, McCurdy Hotel, died Friday, Dec. 10, in Louisville. The funeral was in Louisville Sunday, Dec. 12 with Rabbi Milton Greenwald officiating. She is survived by her husband, Lester Joseph and a son, Pvt. Lester Joseph.

Evansville Woman Dies in Maine

Special
EVANSVILLE — Mrs. Fanny Coleman of Portland, Me., formerly of Evansville, died last week. Burial was in Evansville Friday, Dec. 1, with Rabbi Joseph Garfinkel conducting the services.

degrees at graduation exercises on Sunday, Dec 17, are: Robert Begner, of Evansville, B. S.; Esther Soshnick, of Shelbyville, B. S.; Lillian Jean Yoffe, of Seymour, B. S., and Sheldon Wagner, of Ft. Wayne, M. S.

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The Editor's Chair:

One of those things that happen once in the lifetime of a newspaper materialized this week when Will Welber, South Bend Jewish leader, subscribed to The Post for every Jewish family in that city not already a subscriber. That meant something around 330 new subscriptions, which when added to the 99 subscribers we already had in South Bend, gives us complete coverage in the state's second largest Jewish community.

Mr. Welber made the gesture as a Chanukah gift to his fellow townspeople. Exactly what he had in mind is told in the letter we sent to each of the new subscribers, which I am reprinting in part here:

"Through the generosity of Mr. Will Welber, the entire Jewish community of South Bend has been presented with a six months' gift subscription to The Jewish Post. This is an unprecedented step in the history of Jewish communities in the United States and will, I feel, make history. Mr. Welber, with other Jewish leaders, has come to the opinion that in order to build a community alert to all its responsibilities it is necessary for the community to have a means of information on current Jewish developments, locally, nationally and throughout the world. That Mr. Welber feels this need can be filled by The Jewish Post is naturally a high opinion to us."

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Rabbi Aaron Rine put me wise on this business of making predictions when he said that since the destruction of the Temple, it is said that anyone making prophecies is a fool. So I will call this a deduction instead of a prophecy. The Joint Defense Appeal of the American Jewish Committee and the B'nai B'rith Anti-Defamation League will be dissolved. Under the arrangements either party may withdraw by giving the other ninety days notice, but there is not ninety days before the expiration of present agreement and the start of the next fiscal year. I understand that the Committee has given the ADL a time concession until the B'nai B'rith Executive Committee can meet on Jan. 30.

Editorial Page

The Rights of Negroes

IF, as there is every likelihood that there may be, there were a public fight on the question of "employment of qualified Negroes in operation of transit facilities" by the Indianapolis Railways, do you think the Indianapolis lodge of B'nai B'rith, or its Anti-Defamation Committee, would have the guts to come out in favor of the rights of the Negro?

That is a rhetorical question, and you don't have to answer it.

But here is a statement of the Philadelphia Anti-Defamation Council, in which city there is going on a public fight on the very question, with the Philadelphia Transit Company: "The American tradition of fair play and equal opportunity calls for employment based solely upon the merits and qualifications of the individual applicant. No one should be debarred from the pursuit of livelihood in a particular field because of color, creed or nationality background."

Wolf, Wolf at the Wrong Time

IF THE statements on Palestine in the secret testimony now made public of Undersecretary of State Breckenridge Long were disappointing on some points, there is reason for satisfaction in the moves of this nation's government in ameliorating the condition of the Jews of Europe. The revelation of the negotiations entered into with neutral and Axis-controlled nations to save the doomed Jews of Europe are certainly as much as has been asked for.

That nothing has thus far been accomplished is the unfortunate status of all these moves, but

it cannot be said that the warning to the Axis satellites have not been effective.

There is no need to desist in demands for immediate action, but name calling certainly seems to be unwarranted.

Thus the views of those Jewish leaders criticizing the State Department and Undersecretary Long must be considered undiplomatic and short-sighted. Let us not become so wrapped up in our causes as to be unable to recognize beneficent actions lest we be caught in the trap of hollering "wolf! wolf!" at the wrong time.

Too Good a Description to Be Overlooked

IN one of Samuel Grafton's articles which we are not printing (he writes six a week and we choose the one we want), there is this sentence: "To have unity, we must put conflicting

points of view in one government." This fits the case of the American Jewish Committee and the American Jewish Conference too nicely to be overlooked.

Friday Night Belongs to New Year's Eve

NEW YEAR'S EVE this year falls on Friday night and a self-respecting Jewish community would almost as if by nature shift its celebration of the occasion to New Year's night. But just as a reminder, The Post would like to indicate that if you are going to indulge in the thoroughly pagan celebration, then you have no other alternative but to attend synagogue services first. Not to be cynical, but just realistic, if that course is followed, our synagogues will be full to over-

flowing that night, for not only have two celebrations been announced locally, that of Broadmoor Country Club, which is Jewish, and that of the Pi Lambda Phi Fraternity at Bloomington, but I presume our leaders of Jewish groups throughout the state are not overlooking the occasion either just because it happens to fall on an evening when some very pious people go to synagogue.

Current Comment

Rantin' Rankin On Rampage Against Jews Again, Congregation Rodeph Shalom Bulletin (Bridgeport, Conn.) Says: The House of Representatives has once again been subjected to one of Representative Rankin's delectable anti-Semitic tidbits. Rantin' John Rankin, whose anti-Semitic outburst some months ago was followed by the death of a fellow Congressman Edelstein from a heart attack after an answer to the former's tirade, is on the loose again. Only this last time he muffed the ball.

The springboard for this particular attack was the soldier-vote issue, which Rantin' J. opposes bitterly. To bolster his stand, he apparently tried to show that not a single "decent" American is among those advocates of the soldier-vote who wrote him protesting his substitute bluff-bill, which would put the vote in the burying hands of the individual states. Rankin sneeringly read out the list, with not a single "Aryan" on it: Kapnik, Reisman, Liebowitz, Lowenstein, Siegal, Rothman, Priess, Surowitz, Zibman and Rubenstein.

That was unfair. Unfair because he left out the names of the non-Jews—and there must have been quite a few—who wrote to him in the same vein. It was unfair—because why should the honor-roll be limited only to Jews? Being on Rankin's hate list is no mean testimonial to an individual's love of democracy and willingness to stand up and be counted as an enemy of the home-grown as well as foreign variety of fascist.

Perhaps, some day, when the issue between the Rankins and democracy comes to be tried—and decided—by the returning veterans—we'll

look back to Rankin's latest tirade and thank him for it. For there, black on white, will be an incontrovertible answer to the "It's all the Jew's fault" sort of talk. The returning voteless veterans will remember that it was Rankin who slyly did them out of their votes, and it was quite a group of Rothmans, and Rubensteins who wrote him angry letters and tried to save that vote for them.

And it still isn't too late to frustrate Rankin—letters to Congressmen are read—and enough letters may very well do the trick.

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Friday Night Store Opening Criticized by Rabbi Zev K. Nelson in The Voice of Beth-Jacob Community Synagogue, Norwich, Conn.—Should the stores be open Friday evening, or should they be closed? The matter is still an open issue. As long as it remains such, we shall continue to urge everyone to voice their protest to the pending action. In fact we strongly believe that the mere voicing of an opinion is not enough. Definite action should be taken against the original motion which was passed at the meeting of the Merchants' Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce. Moreover, even those who originally voted to open their stores on Friday evening should now reverse their decisions. They have every chance to redeem themselves for the wrong they committed against themselves and against the entire Jewish community of Norwich. Finally, we would like to call upon all those who always tell us that at heart they are good Jews—to give concrete expression of their "cardiac" feelings. Let us resolve in unison to keep the stores closed Friday evening.

Synagogue Notes

Indianapolis Hebrew

Rabbi Maurice Goldblatt will lecture at tonight's services on "The Jewish View of Jesus." Torah reading will be at 10:30 Saturday morning. Mrs. M. Aaron, Mrs. Lawrence Lapinska and Mrs. Manuel Freeman will be hostesses following tonight's services. The religious school will not be in session Sunday, but will reconvene Sunday, Jan. 4.

Adath Israel

EVANSVILLE. — Rabbi Joseph Gorfinkel will conduct Chanukah services at the Adath Israel Synagogue at 8 p. m. Friday, Dec. 24. His sermon will be "The Challenge of the Chanukah Lights." A reception will be held by the Ladies Council.

George Field

EVANSVILLE. — Rabbi Milton Greenwald will conduct services at George Field on Tuesday, Dec. 28, the last night of Chanukah.

Achduth Veshalom

FORT WAYNE—Sermon Topic: "The Hanukah Story and the Christmas Story."

Hebrew Orthodox

SOUTH BEND — Services at 8:30 p. m. Friday will be dedicated to the annual "Children's Night," with pupils of the Hebrew School participating in the reading of the prayers. Rabbi Aaron M. Rine will deliver the sermon on "Candles That Tell a Tale."

2 Indiana Rabbis to Aid in Joint UAHC-HUC Drive

CINCINNATI — Sixteen well-known rabbis from widely scattered areas, including Rabbi J. Marshall Taxal of Terre Haute and Rabbi Meyer H. Simon of Lafayette have volunteered their services to the Union of American Hebrew Congregations and the Hebrew Union College in connection with the \$550,000 joint campaign for the two institutions, after the meeting with Rabbi Maurice N. Eisendrath, director of the union.

Among those who offered their services are Rabbi Henry Kakan, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; Dr. Alan S. Green, Troy, N. Y.; Rabbi Joseph Narot, Atlantic City; Rabbi Daniel L. Davis, Lancaster, Pa.; Dr. Allan Tarshish, Hazleton, Pa., and Rabbi Sidney L. Regner of Reading, Pa.

Asaph Broadcast Scheduled for Sunday

Mrs. Shoolem Ettinger, president of Indianapolis Hadassah, will broadcast a Chanukah message over station WFBM at 10:35 a. m. Sunday during a special Chanukah program of the Asaph organization. Cantor Myro Glass will sing appropriate melodies, accompanied by Mrs. A. Jaffe on the piano.

B'nai B'rith Reelects All Present Officers

All present officers, headed by Dave Cook, president of the Indianapolis lodge of B'nai B'rith, were re-elected at the annual mid-winter election Wednesday night at Kirshbaum Center. A new honorary trusteeship was created with the election of Max Katz to that office.

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FOUR AFFAIRS MARK CHANUKAH CELEBRATION IN SOUTH BEND

SPECIAL SOUTH BEND—Three Chanukah affairs this Sunday, and a party Wednesday will mark the celebration of the Feast of Lights in the city.

Children of the Sinai Hebrew and Sunday Schools will present a Chanukah play at 7:30 p. m. Sunday at the Synagogue, under the direction of Rev. and Mrs. David Spiegel. A Latke Party, sponsored by the Sisterhood, will follow the program.

All classes of the Hebrew Institute Sunday School will devote a part of the session on Sunday morning to a celebration of Chanukah. Gifts will be exchanged, and songs, games and stories pertaining to the holiday will be featured. At 2:30 p. m. the formal celebration of the Hebrew and Sunday Schools will be held. In addition to the play, special awards for scholastic achievement will be presented to the following pupils of the Hebrew School by Rabbi Aaron M. Rine: Miriam Kornfeld, David Shcolnik, Daniel Feldman, Paul Ansman, Marilyn Polay, Marlene Shcolnik, Larry Ochstein and Edward Morris. Mrs. A. Rivkin will present the faculty and children with gifts in behalf of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Institute.

A Chanukah entertainment will be held at 5 p. m. Sunday, at the Temple Beth El. Children of the Sunday School will present two plays, and a gift exchange will be held. Refreshments will be served.

The Chanukah party for paid-up members of the Young Marrieds, which was to have been held on Wednesday, has been postponed to 8 p. m. Tuesday, Dec. 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Moss. A Chanukah program will be presented, gifts exchanged and latkes served. Joseph Newman will be in charge of the evening.

Movie Heads Program For South Bend Zionists

SPECIAL SOUTH BEND — The South Bend Zionist District will meet on Wednesday evening, Dec. 29, at the Hebrew Institute, with Mr. Maurice Tucker presiding. The program of the evening will feature a Palestinian moving picture, released through the Jewish National Fund, and being presented in the Middle West for the first time. The community is invited to attend.

Promoted to 1st Lieutenant

SOUTH BEND—Louis E. Ziker has been promoted to the rank of first lieutenant.

Meyer Ruchman Heads Ft. Wayne B'nai B'rith

SPECIAL FORT WAYNE — The local B'nai B'rith elected Meyer Ruchman, president and Joseph J. Rosenthal, vice president. Other officers are: Second Vice President, Sidney Gold; treasurer, Joseph Freiburger; financial and reading secretary, Norman Franklin, warden, Sam Hillman; monitor, Jack Skadron; assistant monitor, Marty Silver, and trustees, William Brodner, L. J. Novitsky and Ben Hutter.

Delegates named for the Grand Lodge are Mr. Ruchman, Mr. Skadron, Byron Novitsky and Sol Rothberg.

The installation will be conducted at the annual meeting Sunday, Jan. 9 in the form of a banquet to be held at the Veteran of Foreign Wars Home.

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A Chanukah card social will be held in the vestry of the Central Hebrew Congregation at 7:30 p. m. Sunday. Refreshments will be served and members and friends are invited.

The family of the late Rabbi Mayer Messing thanks his many friends for their gifts to various funds in his name, for their messages and letters. In due time each will be personally acknowledged.

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The following delinquent pledges will be sold December 24, 1943, starting at 9 A. M., by Samuel Feldman Loan Office, 233 East Washington street, Indianapolis, Ind.:

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3398	6-12-42	4090	9-22-42
3442	6-18-42	4154	10-1-42
3447	6-19-42	4244	10-15-42
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4514	11-21-42	4923	1-28-43
4550	11-25-42	4928	1-29-43
4511	11-25-42	4933	1-30-42
4500	11-27-42	4955	2-2-43
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4593	12-1-42	4991	2-8-43
4641	12-7-42	4992	2-9-43
4643	12-7-42	4997	2-9-42
4652	12-9-42	5005	2-10-43
4653	12-9-42	5043	2-17-43
4675	12-12-42	5043	2-17-43
4680	12-14-42	5052	2-19-43
4684	12-14-42	5069	2-22-43
4708	12-17-42	5073	2-22-43
4740	12-23-42	5074	2-22-43
4742	12-23-42	5079	2-23-43
4809	1-5-43	5092	2-25-43
4864	1-16-43	5118	3-1-43
4885	1-20-42	5126	3-3-43
4921	1-27-43	5138	3-5-43
5175	3-11-43	5142	3-5-43
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5254	3-22-43	5326	3-31-43
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Martha Scheff to Be Wed in Cincinnati On New Year's Day

Mr. and Mrs. J. Scheff of Indianapolis, formerly of Cincinnati, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Martha, to Manny Weber of the U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Weber of New York City. The wedding will take place at the Avondale Synagogue in Cincinnati, Jan. 1, Rabbi Louis Feinberg officiating. Reception will follow for relatives and friends, from 9 p. m. to 12 p. m., in the Synagogue Center. No invitations have been issued.

Reception Sunday for Charlotte Solotken

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Solotken will receive informally at their home, 5114 Washington Boulevard from 7-10 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 26, in honor of their daughter, Charlotte and Pfc. Norman Chassin of Buffalo, N. Y., whose marriage will be solemnized at 1 o'clock at the Columbia Club the same day. No invitations have been issued.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hokin of Chicago arrived at the Lincoln Hotel, Sunday, and remained several days visiting with relatives and old friends. Mrs. Hokin is a native of Indianapolis and is the sister of Mrs. Charles Bassler, 3631 N. Illinois St., and Stanley Valinet, 4021 N. New Jersey St.

H. Joseph Hyman and Mrs. Hyman returned Tuesday from Baltimore, where Mrs. Hyman was under treatment at Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Monument Chapter, O. E. S., will hold a holiday family party at the Masonic Temple, North and Illinois streets at 8 p. m. Monday, Dec. 27. Members, children and families are invited. Adults are asked to bring a small exchange gift.

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Births

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Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Granat, 2941 North Pennsylvania street, announce the birth of a daughter Dec. 25 at Coleman Hospital.

Year-End Visits Made in City

Mrs. Jeanette Meyer of Akron, O., stopped off for a few days visit with Mrs. Louis J. Borinstein en route home from Martinsville. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Julian Cadden and family of South Bend came Wednesday to remain until after the New Year to be with Mrs. Cadden's father, Barnet Jacobson, and sister, Mrs. Lena Cohen. . . . Mr. and Mrs. M. Brooks of South Bend will arrive Dec. 25 to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Theodore Dann, Mr. Dann and child, until Dec. 29, when they leave to winter in Palm Beach, Fla. . . . Mrs. David Rosenberg left Wednesday for Los Angeles, Cal. Her son, Joe, his wife and child are living there. . . . Mrs. Alvin Cohen is in the East. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ziff-

rin have returned from a few days visit with relatives in South Bend. . . . Mrs. Harry Cohen and daughter, Devera, of Washington, D. C., former residents of Indianapolis, who moved away two years ago, are returning here to live. They will be guests of Mrs. Sam Wolf, Mrs. Cohen's daughter, and family after their arrival before Jan. 1, until they find living quarters. . . . Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Cohen have returned from ten days in Martinsville.

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QUESTIONS ON POSSIBILITIES OF SAVING DOOMED THOUSANDS ANSWERED ON RADIO

By DEAN ALFANGE

First, I want to thank Station WMCA for its fine public spirit in making this time available to the Emergency Committee to Save the Jewish People of Europe. Only two major stations in the city of New York have refused either to sell or give radio time for this humanitarian cause. They claim that the question of saving the Jews of Europe is controversial, though I have never been able to discover as to whom it is controversial except, of course, Hitler and his Nazi executioners. I mention this fact because I believe the public should be enlightened as to how our constitutional guarantee of Free Speech, which is as much the right to listen as the right to speak, may sometimes be abridged by private institutions.

In the course of my public addresses on this subject, I have been asked many questions. Tonight I shall try to answer some of them. Most people, I find, are puzzled as to how any part of the four million Jews trapped in Hitler-dominated territory can be rescued. The task is difficult, to be sure, yet it can be accomplished. There are now 1,500,000 Jews in the Axis satellite states of Bulgaria, Rumania, Hungary and Vichy-France. More than two million Jews resided in these countries at the outbreak of the war, but over 600,000 were since deported, to the Reich and to Poland, where they were either shot, drowned, burned to death, or asphyxiated by poison gas. These shipments of human beings to Nazi slaughter houses took place



DEAN ALFANGE

at Hitler's orders and reached their peak at a time when German military fortunes were in the ascendant. The military picture is now reversed. The Satellites know that their ultimate defeat is inevitable. It is plain common sense, therefore, that they would like to ingratiate themselves with the United States in the hope of mitigating the penalties they must eventually pay as Hitler's accessories.

U. S. Warning Would
Save Thousands

Thus, there is every reason to believe that, once Congress passes the pending Resolution to effectuate the rescue of the Jewish people, these nations will heed our warning to stop these deportations, and in this way the battle will be half won before we even start. I cannot stress too strongly the tremendous psychological influence which the mere passage of this Resolution would exert. Our declaration of resolve, in and of itself, would save thousands of lives. After the notice is served upon the culprits and their accessories, the Rescue Commission appointed by the President, would then negotiate with Soviet Russia, Turkey, Switzerland, Sweden, Portugal, Spain and the French National Committee of Liberation for the establishment, in territories under their control, of reservation camps into which all escaping Jews can be brought for temporary shelter and care. The next step would be to effect arrangements with Turkey whereby the victims could be carried on Turkish vessels from Bulgarian and Rumanian Black-Sea ports to temporary rescue camps in Turkey, Soviet Russia, and the Levant states. From these countries there is a natural land bridge, over which they could also be taken to Palestine and to reservation camps that would be established under our supervision in North Africa, and in other

United Nations and neutral territories.

Action Would Influence Britain

Such action on our part would influence Great Britain to open the gates of Palestine to persecuted Jewry. For England could not afford to ignore the declared public policy of the United States.

Now, that our diplomatic relations with Russia are at their best, it should not be difficult to arrange a larger participation on her part in rescuing the Jews who escape from the death chambers of Poland. Many, in their desperation, would be glad to walk to Russia, but in the main, the exo-

dus could be arranged by chartering Turkish and other neutral vessels to transport the victims across the Black Sea to safety. I am also confident that our government could persuade the French National Committee of Liberation to arrange for transfer to North Africa of Jewish refugees from Turkey, Spain, Portugal, as well as from other parts of Europe where reservation camps would be established, so that the burden of harboring and protecting these people, until the war is over, would be equitably distributed among our allies and the co-operating neutrals. In carrying out

this program of mercy, I am satisfied that the International Red Cross would lend its friendly offices in assisting the work of evacuation and resettlement.

Allies, Neutrals Prevent Escape.

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IMMEDIATE OBJECTIVES

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2. To open for them the doors of Palestine.
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2. To establish the right of the Jews of the whole world to live in freedom and equality on a par with all other human beings everywhere.
3. And thus to put an end to the scandal of history and the problem that has troubled all the countries of Europe by readmitting a great and ancient people to the family of nations and by restoring Palestine as a homeland for the Jewish people in full accord with the principles of the Four Freedoms and the Atlantic Charter.

IN ACCORDANCE with the above objectives and aims, the American League for a Free Palestine recognizes the Free Palestine Committee as representing the aspirations of the renaissance Hebrew nation, and hereby pledges its full support to this committee.

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— BY PHINEAS BIRON —

YOU SHOULD KNOW.

The current issue of Physical Culture contains a signed editorial by Bernarr MacFadden which praises the Jews, but proclaims that if Jews will continue capturing key positions in industry pogroms are unavoidable. . . . The piece is so skillfully written that many Jews, reading it superficially, will be fooled into believing it a defense of the Jews. . . . It's a filthy piece of work. . . . The Japanese newspaper "Yami-ouri Shim-buni" reports that Rabbi Stephen S. Wise persuaded President Roosevelt to order the withdrawal of Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice" from school shelves. . . . Japan's morale must be pretty low if her propaganda mouthpiece concocts such ludicrous stories. . . . Don't be surprised if the Polish Minister to Mexico will have to resign because of the increasing horridification, in American quarters, over the treatment accorded Jewish inmates in Polish concentration camps in Mexico City.

ZIONNEWS

If the Emergency Council for Zionist Affairs were to tell tales out of school it could tell of great political work in Washington. . . . One of America's best-known liberal statesmen is devoting much time to clarifying the Palestine issue for some of the thicker skulls on Capital Hill. . . . Elaborate preparations are already under way for the celebration of Dr. Chaim Weizmann's seventieth birthday—which comes in November, 1944. . . . Samuel Caplan, editor of "The Congress Weekly," has been named to replace Lillie Schultz as secretary to the Governing Council of the American Jewish Congress.

STAGE AND SCREEN

It may be Lieutenant-Colonel William Wyler of the U. S. Air Force who will direct the film version of Moss Harts "Winged Victory"—which the author, incidentally, sold to Army Emergency Relief for the munificent sum of six dollars. . . . 20th Century-Fox paid a cool million for the screen rights, but this goes to the Relief Fund in toto, without deductions. . . . Going abroad to entertain the boys early in the new year are orchestra leader Abe Lyman and that funny trio, the Ritz Brothers. . . . Not going abroad as an entertainer, though he had been planning to, is comedian Zero Mostel, who instead will probably play the leading role in the Theatre Guild's production of Franz Werfel's "Jacobowski and the Colonel."

ABOUT PEOPLE

Professor Albert Einstein is hard at work on a special assignment for the U. S. Navy. . . . About to make his screen debut is piano virtuoso Arthur Rubinstein, who will give movie audiences a sample of his art in "Three Cheers for the Boys." . . . Charlie Friedman, libretto director of Billy Rose's new hit, "Carmen Jones," is the same fellow who wrote and directed that hit of a few years ago, "Pins and Needles." . . . Good for the directors of the 92nd Street YMHA, who have placed their gymnasium at the disposal of the hundreds of Air Force members who constitute the cast of "Winged Victory," and who now keep fit by means of daily exercise at the Y.

WEEKLY GIGGLE

To Leonard Lyons we are indebted for the story of the crack Nazi troops who, upon their capture in Italy, insisted on telling the American intelligence officers that they were members of the Hermann Meyer Division. . . . The officers had heard of the Hermann Goering Division, of course, but never of a Hermann Meyer Division—but the prisoners refused to give any further explanation. . . . But the mystery was solved when an officer suddenly remembered something pertinent. . . . He rushed to the files, and unearthed a 1940 newspaper clipping reporting Goering's boast: "If the British ever bomb Berlin, you can call me Meyer."

**A. Z. A. CALLS FOR DATES, HOMES
AS CONVENTION-TIME APPROACHES**

South Side A. Z. A. No. 520 issued a frantic call this week for girls to attend the opening dance of the third annual Kentucky-Indiana-Ohio A. Z. A. convention beginning next Saturday, Dec. 25. Girls between 14 and 21 were requested to call the dating chairman, Jerome Tamler, but the boys were not so hard up that they were forgetting to request the prospective charmers to give a description as they registered. The order of the questions was: Age, weight, height, name, address, phone, color of hair and eyes, and can you dance? In other words, it's not important what your name is, if you are the right age, height

and weight! Oh, yes, can you dance?

Indianapolis people were also asked to extend the hospitality of their homes to these young boys for the three-day convention. Those having rooms may call the Communal Building, Li. 7696, to offer hospitality to the boys from Ft. Wayne, Columbus, Dayton, Evansville, Louisville, and Hammond chapters who will attend.

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THOUGH I am writing this several weeks in advance of Christmas, I know precisely what my Christian friend, Mr. Thirkettle, will send me for Christmas. (Thirkettle isn't really his name, but in disguising him I thought I should give him a name with a rippling, almost musical sound, for he is a most amiable gentleman, indeed. Therefore he is Mr. Thirkettle.)

Yes, Mr. Thirkettle's Christmas gift is an old custom that he hasn't violated in ten years. As he has done in every one of these years, Mr. Thirkettle will send me a quart of old whiskey for Christmas. My long experience of Mr. Thirkettle's whiskey suggests that he has a considerable stock of it; for it is always whiskey of the same brand, made in the year 1917, old whiskey, indeed. So I can feel certain that that current shortage will be no hindrance to Mr. Thirkettle's generosity.

I have always replied with a brief but most appreciative note, something like this: "Dear Mr. Thirkettle: Thanks again for Old Popeye. He is

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(Of course, Old Popeye is not the real name of Mr. Thirkettle's whiskey which, in deference to the advertising department, I do not feel free to reveal.)

But this year after I have unwrapped Mr. Thirkettle's gift, after I have sampled Old Popeye's mellow quality and rolled it on my tongue and have permitted its liquid gold to traverse the length of my esophagus, I shall write to Mr. Thirkettle in another vein.

(To any who may think I am presuming too much I should say that five years ago Mr. Thirkettle made a sort of vow. He told me that as long as he lives, provided prohibition doesn't return, he intends to present me with a bottle of Old Popeye every Christmas as a manifestation of his good will.)

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Conference Adopts
\$148,500 Budget for '44

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency
NEW YORK. — The Interim Committee of the American Jewish Conference, at an all-day session this week adopted a budget of \$148,500 for its administrative work for 1944, it was announced here. The sum includes the cost of arranging a second general assembly of the Conference which is to be convoked during 1944.

The Interim Committee heard reports from Dr. Abba Hillel Silver on the drive which the Palestine committee of the American Jewish Conference is conducting against the White Paper, and from Rabbi Israel Miller on the activities of the Conference's committee for rescue, relief and rehabilitation.

12,000 IN CANADIAN ARMY

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency
MONTREAL.—Twelve thousand Jewish men are now in uniform overseas and Canada, according to a report submitted to the Dominion Council of the Canadian Jewish Congress. This represents 7.12 percent of the Canadian Jewish population of 168,359, as com-

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Our Film Folks of HOLLYWOOD

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By HELEN ZIGMOND

HOLLYWOOD. — The Czechs continue to boycott Nazi news-reels, timing their entrance just as the reels are ending. French patriots at Grenoble, France, are more drastic in their resistance. When the Nazis tried to show a propaganda film to families there whose men are labor conscripts in Germany, the theatre was set afire. When a second theatre was selected, it also mysteriously caught fire on the eve of the performance. The damage was repaired and a third date announced. This time three armed men shanghaied the film as it was being transported to the theatre. Show was cancelled.

Recently heilers boarded the Swedish liner Drottingholm . . . confiscated its shipment of American films . . . then allowed it to proceed to home port. Report adds that the pictures were rushed to Hitler's headquarters. Was it because the Huns don't want Hollywood product in Sweden . . . or because Adolf likes to see GOOD pictures once in a while?

Apropos of Hitler and movies, did you hear the story about Der Furore issuing the decree that all theatre audiences must rise and hail every time his image appears on the screen? Wishing to check on his order, he went incognito to a movie. Suddenly Adolf flashed on the silver sheet . . . the audience rose, hailed lustily . . . all except Hitler. The man next to him ordered, "Get up! Ve all feel dot way, but we got to stand choost der same."

Although the bulk of Ben Bernie's estate was left to his widow and son, there were a few other beneficiaries. Among them, the Jewish Theatrical Guild, the Federation of Jewish Charities, Bernie's lawyer, Max Levine, and the Catholic Charities of New York.

Not only has London given "This Is The Army" a warm welcome, but the other afternoon the royal family—King, Queen, and the Princesses — attended a performance. During intermission they invited Irving Berlin to tea in the royal box.

When we thought "This Is The Army" had touched the zenith in fabulous showmanship, we hadn't envisaged "Winged Victory." The Moss Hart story of the U. S. Army Air Corps is already showing fantastic box-office prolificness. And a mere million dollars is being quoted about as the likely price for the film rights. As with "T-I-T-A" all profits go to the Army Emergency Relief Fund.

When David Selznick receives praise for the fine script turned in by Jeffrey Daniel on "Since You Went Away," he smiles to himself. Jeffrey Daniel is his own nom de plume which he devised by combining the first names of his two sons.

Nepotism? Not here. Joy Page, step-daughter of Jack Warner, wishing to carve out

her career on merit alone, signed a contract to act on the Metro lot . . . and that's miles and miles from Papa's studio in Burbank.

Zig's Zag's: Murray Alper, young actor from Broadway, is doing all right in flickers . . . has a co-starring role in "Lifeboat," and a featured part in "The Eve of St. Mark." Patricia Dane is at Johns Hopkins awaiting surgery. Special memorial services were held at Hollywood's Temple Israel for songwriter Larry Hart, who died in New York.

Arthur Kober despaired when he heard another writer boasting of dashing off a best-seller in less than two months. "When I hear things like that," moaned Kober, "I feel like Moses chiselling the tablets. That's how slowly I write."

Urges Escape Camps
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Jews might escape to safety. Up to the present moment these doors have been double locked and bolted not from the inside, as one would expect, but from the outside, by the neutral and United Nations.

I have also been asked to explain why this proposed plan of rescue should not embrace all the oppressed peoples of Europe. The answer is simple. They are not sentenced to death. The Jews are.

Given food and medicine, the Norwegians, the Czechs, the Yugoslavs and the Greeks would prefer to remain in their own home than to be placed in a reservation camp in some foreign country. The Resolution before Congress does not propose that we or any other country open its doors to unrestricted immigration for permanent residence. It proposes only to save lives and give temporary asylum until a plan of resettlement and rehabilitation can be worked out at the termination of hostilities.

At the present time the Jews of Europe are not refugees. They are potential refugees if we save them. They are potential corpses if we abandon them. For one cannot become a refugee until his life is first saved.

In my conversations with Secretary of State Hull and the State Department, and in my appearance before the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives, I have urged that there is nothing in common between the refugee problem and the problem of saving lives, and that our government's insistence upon treating them as one has been a source of tragic consequences.

I have also been questioned as to whether there is any precedent to support our proposed action to save a whole race of people from threatened extinction. Frankly, I don't care whether there is or not. But for those who are comforted by such knowledge, let me say that there is ample precedent. As a matter of fact it has been the traditional policy of our country to help people in distress and our failure in this instance is the first departure from such policy. In

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Dear Folks:

It's rather late now but I feel like writing. The sky is almost light even though it is night, for the moon is bright and the stars are in splendid array. There's a peaceful feeling here and I feel content.

This evening one of our Lieutenants took a group of us who wished to go, into "town" for the express purpose of going to an Orthodox Friday night service. From his description of the synagogue and of the service, I was quite anxious to go. At about three we gathered our forces and set out.

It was a beautiful ride into "town" and I felt like a rubber-neck tourist looking first to the right and then to the left, excited by all that I saw. The Arabs grinned at us giving us their V for Victory sign while they squatted by the roadside with their sheep and cattle. We drove into town, while the Lieutenant acted as a guide, pointing out the various points of interest. Our truck took us to the edge of the native quarter where we stopped. The synagogue itself was right on the edge of the native quarter. You had to take about four or five steps into the native quarter, to arrive at the synagogue door. As in most places in town, the outside of the building looked old and dirty, but upon stepping past the threshold, we came into another world. I have seen the setting for Orthodox services in the States, but that did not prepare me for what I beheld. This was full of Oriental pageantry. The service was in progress and while the rabbi chanted we found our seats up front. The Shamus, after showing us to our seats handed us prayer books, which unlike the prayer books I am used to, were entirely in Hebrew, and I felt lost immediately, but as long as I could not follow the service in its inner meanings, I determined to take in all of its outer coverings.

First, I focused my attention on the Shamus. He was something out of the Middle Ages. He walked around during the services keeping silence, which he invoked by striking two wooden blocks. He made us uncross our legs after we had settled comfortably in our seats, and he was forever shooshing the little boys who were going through their prayers right in front of the raised dais. His costume was fantastic. He wore a long robe and a hat that looked as if it belonged to Sir Joseph Porter in His Majesty's Ship Pinafore. He had a chain around his neck which dangled as he walked up and down the aisle attending to his duties.

The walls and ark were shaped in Oriental arcs, exquisitely decorated, while the front of the ark was covered with a rich, red material. The dais had carved pieces of wood for decoration and was a magnificent sight. During a slight break in the service I was able to

look about and I saw in the rear a balcony which was partly hidden by iron working. Here the women sat where none could see, but their high voices could be heard many times during the service. In front of me three little boys sat reading their Hebrew with the greatest of ease. They seemed to be enjoying the service tremendously and whenever they felt that one of us had lost his place, they immediately popped up (continuing to recite the service by heart) and located the passage for us. The little fellow in front of me had one tooth missing and a large vein in his throat stuck out every time he sang a high note, but he knew every word. The entire congregation took a paternal interest in our party and as only one of our number could read Hebrew the rest of us just stared at the prayer books and tried to look intelligent. The congregation members were only too anxious to point out the places in the book at which they were now reciting and I found it expedient to follow the man next to me who conveniently kept his finger on the word being sung and by the characters, which I vaguely remember, I was able to find the place in my own book, therefore turning the page when I came to the bottom of it. The service gave me a most unusual feeling. At first I felt a distinct stranger to these people, but as the evening progressed, I felt more and more that I was with them—one entity.

When the services were over they all crowded around us and wished us "Gut Shabas" and then they all, as one, invited us to their homes for dinner. It was impossible to accept as our truck had to return immediately, but in our broken French we explained that we would love to come the next time we were in town, intending of course, to make special arrangements to accept these people's invitations.

They hated to see us go, and I can assure you that we hated to part without sampling of their hospitality. It was almost humorous as we tried to apologize for not accepting their kind invitations, when we all forgot the words for the expression, "I'm afraid I'll have to refuse." It came out in a sort of gibberish, but they understood, and were extremely nice about it.

Now it is very late and the C. Q. through whose courtesy I am using this typewriter has already told me that he'd like to retire, so I shall have to say good-night.

—BERNARD.

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By Jewish Telegraphic Agency
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**I'd Rather Be Right**

By Samuel Grafton

IT IS an odd thing, but the de Gaulle movement, to which we have given only a grade B recognition, is going to turn out to be the strongest of the "exiled" governing agencies in the end.

Look what we tried to do for King Peter's Yugoslav government-in-exile! We have held it to our bosoms, we have coddled it with recognition, we have surrounded it with our ministers, we have signed treaties with it.

It Is Breathing Hard

Yet it is breathing with difficulty. On some evenings it hardly looks as if it will last out the night. Two years ago it was the symbol of Yugoslav unity. Now, no matter how we rub it up, it will not shine.

What is this mysterious power which seems to mock our choices among exiles? It is, of course, the plain people of Europe. Behind the enemy lines, in Yugoslavia, they have formed themselves into the Partisan movement. It is a movement broad enough to include everybody from Communists to priests. As it has broadened, with its promise of a federated democratic Yugoslav state, the government of King Peter, though a thousand miles away, has shrunk. The people of Yugoslavia have been able to knock Peter down in London, though they themselves seemed to be prisoners of the Germans. In spite of Hitler they have, in effect, voted; they have voted by fighting, they have voted by organizing. The plain people of Yugoslavia have turned out to be strong enough to veto the plans of both their enemies and their friends. They can control events in London, even while Hitler is sitting on them.

Nameless Men Said "No!"

In much the same way, we have hugged and kissed, cherished and admired the Greek government of King George. We have recognized it; have stamped it with our Great Seals; we have made it as legal as a Bank of England note.

And nothing could have seemed less legal, or more feeble than the opposition to King George in Greece. It consists of at least two, maybe three, guerrilla movements, starved by the Germans and currently engaged in fighting each other. But because none of these movements wants King George back, the same cloud that hangs over Peter's head now hangs over George's, too. King George of Greece has had to promise to abide by a plebiscite after the war, and Anthony Eden has expressed his gratification over this decision. The hungry people of Greece have held a kind of shadow election, too; and great men of empire are yielding to the result of it.

It is only a few months since Winston Churchill declared, in a speech, that he favored the restoration of both Kings Peter and George. He held one of these monarchs high, in each hand, in public. His decisions have been revised by nameless men in the Balkans who do not have a spare pair of drawers they can call their own.

A Business With a Future

And de Gaulle, whom we have never fully recognized, becomes more legal by the minute. The stone that the builders rejected is sitting pretty. That is because the French people want him; an unofficial reason, my masters, but a conclusive one.

I offer these data to the heavily liberal thinkers among us, who keep nudging each other with the dismal question: "What are we going to do with Europe?" Europe is a political nothing, they moan; it is a nullity, a vacuum; it is the hole in the power doughnut.

Relax, kids. The plan for Europe is going to come out of Europe. We couldn't dream it up, anyway. Could we, by taking thought, have invented the Partisans? Europe created them, while we were concocting meaningless new federations, etc.

Our sole power over the future of Europe is the power to join with the right movements. When we try to join the wrong ones, we find ourselves with no power. And I'm that kind of a democrat, for I think being that kind of a democrat is a business with a future.

**2 Years
Ago
This
Month**

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come of the naval engagement at Jutland in order to allow Jewish financiers to make a "killing" on the stock exchange. Lord Alfred was sentenced to five months in jail.

MUNICH. — The protest by Cardinal Faulhaber, Archbishop of Munich, against anti-Semitic terror in Bavaria averted pogroms which had already been planned, it is stated by the Central Committee of the Bavarian Catholic Union. The Cardinal wrote to Premier Stressman demanding that action be taken to halt the assaults against the Jews.

JERUSALEM. — A memorial in the form of a school and a library will be erected to mark the site where Joseph Trumpeldor and six companions were killed in March, 1920, while defending an isolated spot in Galilee, it was announced by the Jewish labor organization.

LONDON. — Winston Churchill has won his libel suit against Lord Douglass, anti-Semitic author and publisher, who charged that Mr. Churchill had issued a false bulletin concerning the out-

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By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK. — Asserting that the implementation of the British White Paper of 1939, which would prohibit all new Jewish immigration into Palestine after March 31, 1944, "will have ominous consequences" for Jews everywhere, Frank L. Weil, president of the National Jewish Welfare Board this week urged all of the Board's constituent societies to join in the drive to abrogate the document.

In a message addressed to more than 300 Jewish Community Centers, YMHA's, YWHA's and other affiliates of the National Jewish Welfare Board, Mr. Weil recommended that these societies join "officially organized local community efforts" against the White Paper Policy.

C.I.O. Also U. S. To Join Fight

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON. — Emphasizing that it speaks in the name of more than 1,000,000 American workers, the executive committee of the United Automobile, Aircraft and Agricultural Implement Workers of America this week announced that it has decided to submit to President Roosevelt and to the State Department a resolution asking for the rescue by the Allied governments of Jews in Nazi-held countries and for the revocation of the White Paper.

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Fifty dollars will be given by the Indianapolis Hebrew Temple White Cross Flower Guild collected from the luncheon held Monday at which Mrs. H. L. Foreman and Dr. John G. Benson spoke, it was announced this week. Women who arranged the luncheon and program are Mmes. Herbert Sudranski, M. J. Silver, Cyril Lee, Roy Brown, Samuel L. Hahn, Harry Cooler and Hugo Strauss. The money was allocated to two Tiny Tim units, the Scholarship fund for nurses, the Guild flower fund and to the nurses loan fund of the Methodist Hospital.

Urges Escape Camps

(Continued from page 12)

1906 President Theodore Roosevelt threatened to sever diplomatic relations between this country and Russia in protest against the pogroms then taking place in that country.

In 1821, when Greeks were being massacred by the Turks, President James Monroe sent a strong message to Congress, urging help for this persecuted people, though, at the time, we were at peace with Turkey.

Public Can Help.

The limitation of time prevents me from citing additional precedents, so I now proceed to the last question. Many people have asked me what they can do to help in the present crisis. As you know, a Resolution is now pending in both Houses of Congress, providing for the establishment by the President of a Commission to effectuate the rescue of the Jewish people of Europe. The important thing right now is to have this Resolution pass in its present form and not defeated or weakened by amendment. You can help by writing your Senator or Congressman to support this Resolution in its present form. You can also help by volunteering your services to the Emergency Committee to Save the Jewish People of Europe, 1 East 44th Street, New York City. This

MAY BAN BIAS
FROM BROADCASTS

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

WASHINGTON. — A ban against reflections in radio broadcasts against any race, creed or color will be considered by the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee, chairman Burton K. Wheeler indicated this week. Senator Wheeler said that something might "possibly be worked out" after the first of the year.

Hebrew Students
Make Honor Roll

Pupils of the Jewish Educational Association School who received grades of 90 or over and were placed on the Honor Rolls at the end of the first six-week period are as follows:

Rabbi Albagli's Class: Rachel Meshulam, Paul Camhi, Sylvia Camhi, Hymie Calderon, Max Calderon.

Mr. Gallin's Class: Marvin Brosman, Harmon Farber, Barbara Farber, Donald Fisher, Jerry Goldsmith, Jerry Granovsky, Henry Marer, Richard Morgan, Bernard Newbauer, Shirley Prince, Shirley Steinberg, Phillip Weinstein, Norman Waidowsky, Tom Yosha.

Mr. Harrison's Class: Hillel Chodos, Jack Fivel, Viva Gallin, Aaron Rab, Isadore Talesnick, Sidney Talesnick, Ivan Chalfie, Eugene Axelrod, Phyllis Cohen, Suzanne Dictor, Stanley Brosman, Henry Glick, Norman Glick, Marcia Gordon, Harold Cohen.

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Mr. Kishner's Class: Herman Calderon, Myron Silverman, Alfred Lerner, Evelyn Stillerman, Vera Hollander, Sadelle Camhi, Shirley Goldstein, Lee Goldstein, Donald Stillerman, Menucho Kishner.

Committee was organized by a group of independent citizens — Christians and Jews—to press for immediate governmental action to counteract the diabolical Nazi plot for the extermination of a historic race of people. It is a voluntary non-profit organization whose one and only object is to save human lives. I am proud to stay that it was our persistent agitation that brought about the introduction of this Resolution in Congress. I am happy to say that our work has been endorsed by 6,000 Christian churches, by outstanding public men and women, by the American Federation of Labor and the Congress of Industrial Organizations and, with a few notable exceptions, by the press in general.

On the other hand, I sincerely regret to say—again with a few notable exceptions—that we did not receive the anticipated support either of important Jewish-American organizations or leading Jewish-American personalities. If this Resolution passes without restrictive amendments, as I hope it will be, the credit will be largely due to the plain everyday people who have supported this humane movement without fear, stint or reservation. It is to you men and women that we owe our gratitude and appreciation and it is to you that this report is made.

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RABBI DOPPELT OF FT. WAYNE WRITES BOOK ON PRAYER IN OUR TIMES

Another Hoosier entered the literary field this week. Rabbi Frederic A. Doppelt of Fort Wayne has authored "Dialogue With God" published by Dorrance & Co. of Philadelphia. The book, a simple appreciation of prayer in our times, is aimed at both Jewish and Christian audiences, and Rabbi Doppelt has drawn on the mystic lore of the sources of both religions. He presents the principle of prayer from a present-day viewpoint, and attempts to answer questions which have challenged him during the first ten years of his ministry. "Why People Pray," "Are Prayers Answered?", "Why Prayers Fail" and "What Good Is It to Pray?" are some of the points he has taken up.

Outstanding Protestant and Catholic scholars have already read the work, including Bishop John F. Noll of the Fort Wayne Diocese and Dr. Paul Krauss, minister of Trinity Church, Fort Wayne. Dr. Solomon B. Freehof of Pittsburgh has written the introduction.

Rabbi Doppelt, a Hoosier by adoption since accepting the rabbinate at Temple Achduth Vescholom, oldest Reform congregation in Indiana, specialized in Chasidism at Hebrew Union College in Cincinnati, from which he was graduated in 1931, and following his ordination, expanded his research into the mysticism of Chris-

tianity. He is also a graduate of the University of Cincinnati where he majored in psychology and philosophy.

RIGHTS RESTORED

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK.—The restoration by the Argentine Government of legal status to Jewish organizations which had this status cancelled two months ago by the regime

Ens. Treuhaff Goes to Princeton

Special

LAFAYETTE. — Roy Treuhaff,

of Gen. Ramirez, is reported from Buenos Aires by the correspondent of the New York Herald Tribune.

recently commissioned ensign in

the U. S. Navy, has left for training at Princeton University. Mrs.

Treuhaff and son, Paul, will live with her parents in Crawfordsville for the duration.



Jewish Couple Named Model War Parents

Special

SIOUX CITY, Ia. — With four sons in the service, Mr. and Mrs. J. Zeligson were chosen as model War Parents of this city in a contest sponsored by Iowa Theatres. The couple may now be awarded the title for Iowa, which will entitle the winner to a free trip to visit their son or a \$500 cash prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeligson did not feel that having four sons in the service was quite enough, so they have been buying war bonds regularly every month. In addition to this, Mrs. Zeligson wraps bandages at Red Cross, and headed a campaign to collect clothing for the Russian War Relief recently. She is a member of the board of the Jewish Orthodox Council and the Workmen's Circle Auxiliary.

Committee's Annual Meeting Set for Jan. 30

Special

NEW YORK. — With so much agitation going on for the American Jewish Committee to return to the American Jewish Conference, the annual meeting of the organization set for Sunday, Jan. 30, in New York is expected to be one of the most important in its history. Morris Waldman, executive vice-president, will have completed his tour of Jewish communities at that time, and his report will no doubt have a great deal to do with the decision.

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Al Segal

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After all these years of Mr. Thirkettle's generosity I feel I should reply with something more than the formality of "thank you." Mr. Thirkettle should have something of my understanding of Christmas and its implications of the brotherhood. I have been rolling the matter over in my mind, and should I write something like this to Mr. Thirkettle:

My dear Mr. Thirkettle: Thanks again for perennial Old Popeye; thanks for the exemplary manifestation of good will that Old Popeye implies.

Though Christmas is not a Jewish holiday, I share with you its gentle idealism. In a mood of fantasy I find myself wishing for an everlasting Christmas—Christmas in June and Christmas in October and Christmas in March—Christmas, in fact, all the year 'round.

In the weeks before Christmas I always feel deeply moved as I go on our streets among the shoppers. I hear them saying: "What should I give? What should I give Joe and what should I give Mary, and what should I give Jack?"

This tight-faced lady is wondering whether she should buy some handkerchiefs or a merchandise order for her neighbor. I hear her say the neighbor was good to her the time her husband was so sick last spring. I notice that tough-looking man surreptitiously laying a dollar bill on the Salvation Army's tambourine.

I think it is rather hopeful in our human race to be discovered

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DETROIT. — A Federal grand jury investigation of the Rev. Harvey Springer, "cowboy evangelist" who is holding meetings here now, was urged by the Detroit Civil Rights Federation, which charged that he is attempting to destroy the morale of the nation and makes "attacks upon the Jewish people, foreign-born and our Allies, Britain and Russia." Springer, who is a disciple of Gerald Winrod, was a guest speaker at a rally of Gerald L. K. Smith's America First Party.

being generous even once a year. Our human race has at times been awfully discouraging—its malice, its false hates, its spiteful prejudices. Yes, my dear Mr. Thirkettle, I have wondered at the everlasting patience of the Most High who keeps on letting the earth swing in its ordained course.

Were He less patient He might have let the whole thing drop as a hopeless case long ago. But He seemed smiling the other morning in the sunlight: The street was crowded with Christmas shoppers, each absorbed in her generous purpose to complete her kindly plans for Christmas.

In the smiling sunlight I thought I detected the patient Father beaming: Yes, my children are all right, after all. They can be kind. The way they exert themselves to do gentle things at this season! The cup of their generosity runs over. My good children!

He seemed brooding hopefully in the sunlight: Oh, they would turn out well in the end. They were only children in the immensity of time which had only begun. One must be patient with children. It takes a long, long time for them to learn. Should He, the Father, get angry at His children who do have all this good in them?

No! He would keep on waiting as He had in all the times before. Children who knew kindness once a year might in time come to the fullness of being kind. The kindness that knows no single day but illuminates all the days. The generosity that makes nothing of the color of a brother's skin; it does not take into account the race from which he stems; it scorns the falsehood that is uttered against him; it hates only malice that would hurt him. His children would come around to that in time.

How swiftly they were hurrying to make sure that their kindness would forget no one this season. How bright with kindness were their faces, like the gleam of this sunlight, so that he could know them as His kinsmen. Yes, they were His children. There was hope in them.

Well, my dear Mr. Thirkettle, when they come to this fullness of being kind, then it will be Christmas all the year 'round. When their generosity makes nothing of a brother's color, race or creed; when they despise falsehood and malice, then we shall have the everlasting Christmas.

I unscrew Old Popeye's top, I fill the glass to the brim. . . "I drink, Mr. Thirkettle, to an everlasting Christmas, to kindness that knows no single day, to generosity that embraces all the brethren, to the brotherhood."

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Town Crier

By G. M. C.

Last week was one of those banner weeks for The Post. In addition to the boon that came to the paper in the gift of Mr. Welber of South Bend, which is explained in "The Editor's Chair," we also landed the H. P. Heinz account. This large firm which also makes kosher products, chose the Post to tell its advertising story to Indiana Jewry. Then another satisfying occurrence. A local Jewish wholesaler subscribed to The Post for twenty of his retail Jewish accounts as a Chanukah gift. A few more instances like this, (and I know of one which if it goes through will be the biggest thing of its kind) and The Post's staff will be able to eat three times a day.

The impatience of some people! When Herb Backer got his honorable discharge from the army, he broke the news of his approaching wedding and plunked down \$3.00 for a subscription to The Jewish Post, the two finest things he could have done, although I would hate to have to say which is the finer. That must have been nearly six months ago. Then when we drove down together to the Purdue-Indiana game and the Hillel Dedication at Bloomington, he wanted to know why his paper wasn't being sent to him. Before that and since, he has called me several times about the same question. And now he sends me a Chanukah card signed, Shirley and Herb Backer, and: "Now may we have our Jewish Post." Tell you what I'll do, Herb. Let me know when you have your first baby, and I'll see what I can do about getting The Post to you.

Harry Joseph, he of the advertising fame, is one of our closest critics and best news sources. This time he sends in an item which he calls a lesson in real friendship. I let him tell it himself: "When Dave Rochman knew he was going into the service, he offered to sell his car to Abe Wald for \$600.00. Abe knew it was worth more and told Dave so. Dave insisted that he wanted him to have it. Abe finally agreed but before paying for the car advertised it and found a buyer for \$795. He turned the entire proceeds over to Dave. Dave is among the first of our young Jewish fathers to be called to the colors."

Rabbi Chodos is chairman of the local committee now being established to fight the implementation of the White Paper, which, as you know, stops all Jewish immigration into Palestine in March, 1944. The National Jewish Welfare Board, through its president Frank Weil, issued a statement calling on all its local affiliates to join in any action of this kind, so I called J. J. Kiser, who is chairman of the Army and Navy Committee of the Jewish Welfare Board. He said he hadn't heard from national as yet, but he would be glad to join in any joint action, and that everybody he knew of would be glad to help, too. The Union of American Hebrew Congregations, through its executive secretary, Rabbi Maurice Eisendrath, issued the same kind of appeal to all the Reform Congregations in the United States, and I called Dr. Harry Jacobs on the same matter. He said the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation has a meeting on January 4, and although he neither had any official word from the Union, he would see that this matter was part of the agenda for the meeting.

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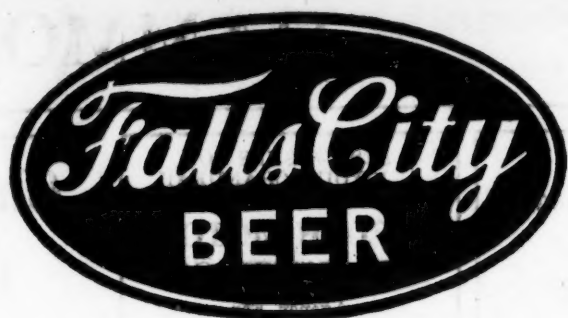
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